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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

SHANE BROOKS,  Plaintiff, vs.	ORDER  Case No. 2:14-cv-00497-APG-CWH  ORDER
LISA WALSH, et al.,	
Defendants.	) ) )

This matter is before the Court on Plaintiff's renewed Motion to Extend Prison Copy Work Limit (doc. #72), filed May 5, 2016.

A petitioner does not have a right to free photocopying. <u>Johnson v. Moore</u>, 948 F.2d 517, 521 (9th Cir. 1991); <u>Sands v. Lewis</u>, 886 F.2d 1166, 1169 (9th Cir.1989), <u>overruled on other grounds by Silva v. Di Vittorio</u>, 658 F.3d 1090 (9th Cir. 2011) (stating "numerous courts have rejected any constitutional right to free and unlimited photocopying"). Under Administrative Regulations 722, "inmates can only accrue a maximum of \$100.00 debt for copy work expenses." NDOC-AR 722.01(7). However, a court "can... order a prison to provide limited photocopying when it is necessary for an inmate to provide copies to the court and other parties." <u>Allen v. Clark Cnty. Det. Ctr.</u>, No. 2: 10-CV-00857-RLH, 2011 WL 886343, at \*2 (D. Nev. Mar. 11, 2011).

In the instant motion, Plaintiff states that he has exceeded his prison copy work limit, and "seeks only a reasonable allowance" of copy work for relevant and responsive documents falling under Fed. R. Civ. P. 5, Local Rule ("LR") 5-1, and LR 7-2. Doc. # 72 at 2. The Court finds good reason to increase Plaintiff's copy work limit by 120 pages, and advises Plaintiff to prudently use this limit,

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and to utilize carbon paper and other alternative resources to generate additional copies. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's renewed Motion to Extend Prison Copy Work Limit (doc. #72) is **granted**. DATED: May 16, 2016 C.W. Hoffman Jr. United States Magistrate Judge